



AMENDMENT* TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

Applicant(s): Len Ekkert

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Invention: CAP WITH ATTACHED UTENSIL

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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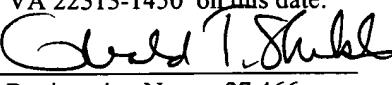
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action mailed September 9, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration, reexamination and allowance of Claims 1-20.